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Who Maintains Greenbelt Station Access Considered by Council

by James Giese

It's a complicated but minor problem needing to be resolved. The first 120 feet of Greenbelt Station Parkway, plus a bridge over Branchville Road, initially provides the only road access to the new development in the South Core of Greenbelt Station. The road was built there by the developers with county permission. One end connects to a state highway, Greenbelt Road. It is located in the Town of Berwyn Heights. North of the bridge, it is within the city of Greenbelt.

Since Prince George's County has agreed to maintain the bridge, maintenance of that first 120 feet was the issue for discussion at the August 3 Greenbelt City Council worksession. Nearly all councilmembers reluctantly agreed that the city would have to participate even though the road is outside the city limits.

At the time the city was negotiating an annexation agreement for the Smith property (now the South Core), Berwyn Heights quietly annexed other properties on both sides of Branchville Road. Branchville Road runs

parallel to Greenbelt Road on the north side providing the only road access to these properties. Most likely the property owners agreed to be annexed for fear of otherwise being annexed to Greenbelt, which has a higher tax rate.

While the South Core has frontage on Branchville Road, the developers sought and obtained direct access to Greenbelt Road. At this point, Greenbelt Road is at a much higher elevation than Branchville Road as it is ramped up to cross the CSX Railroad and Metro tracks.

Access

With the acquisition of a 120-foot-deep parcel of land between Branchville and Greenbelt Roads and by building a bridge over Branchville, the South Core developers were able to build the access sought to Greenbelt Road. The bridge and 120 foot connection were completed in 2007 according to Jessica Bellah, Greenbelt Community Planner. But the ensuing building slump delayed development until just recently.

Greenbelt will maintain that part of Greenbelt Station Parkway that is north of the bridge and within the city limits once the city approves the construction done by the developers. The road will provide Greenbelt Station residents and future businesses or other occupants with access to Greenbelt Road and will eventually connect to the Greenbelt Metro Station and Capital Beltway to the north.

Prince George's County will maintain the bridge that crosses over Branchville Road because Branchville Road is a county road. The soon-to-be-formed homeowners association for Greenbelt Station will be made responsible for maintaining brick walls and a stairway from the new road to Branchville Road because those were built to benefit the new development.

But what about that first 120 feet of Greenbelt Station Parkway between the bridge and Greenbelt Road that is within the town limits of Berwyn Heights? Greenbelt city staff believe the city

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Green Team Volunteers Strive For Zero Waste at Festival

by Erin Josephitis



Signs from the Green Man Festival will be reused to label trash bins as recycling, compost or landfill.

The 2015 Greenbelt Labor Day Festival will be the greenest one yet as it evolves into a zero waste event. Reduce, Reuse, Recycle or Compost is the message. As part of the efforts a new program will be introduced: Greenbelt Water Works. For the program, multiple locations around the center city will offer free water bottle refills. Everyone is encouraged to bring a reusable water bottle and to fill

up at Greenbelt Water Works locations. Signs will indicate which locations around the Roosevelt Center and which public buildings are participating.

The motive behind Greenbelt Water Works is to reduce the use of single-use plastic water bottles. Be sure to check in with the Green Team/GreenACES booth so a tally can record how many community members bring a reusable water bottle. A map

showing the Greenbelt Water Works locations and water fountains will be at the booth.

Volunteer Opportunities

The Green Team/GreenACES booth will rely on volunteers to lead fun educational children's games and a scavenger hunt of Greenbelt Water Works locations. Another volunteer opportunity will be to educate community members in how to identify recyclables from landfill trash and how to choose the right bin for each. The Green Team expects mainly students as volunteers but will also need adults to provide light supervision.

In the spirit of zero waste, the signs from the Green Man Festival will be reused to label trash bins as recycling, compost or landfill in order to increase visibility and distinction. Throughout the Labor Day Festival, volunteers will monitor the bins for contamination and promote zero waste event efforts.

Leftover food scraps will be collected from vendors and delivered to the MOM's of College Park BiobiN. The compost ma-

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At the Franklin Park / Beltway Plaza NNO, Officer Nicholas Yatsko welcomes a family into the Citizen Rescue Vehicle for a tour.

National Night Out in Greenbelt Community Trumps the Rain

by Amy Hansen

It rained on August fourth, but people showed up anyway. With free food and a promise of good times with neighbors, the National Night Out was celebrated in Greenbelt in half a dozen different locations.

National Night Out was started in 1984 by the National Association of Town Watch, an organization that promotes crime prevention programs. These programs include neighborhood watch groups, law enforcement agencies and other organizations devoted to safer communities. The evening brings together neighbors, businesses, police and fire departments. While most of the night is just fun, food and demonstrations from the talented K9 (dog) police officers, the real aim is to build trust.

"People feel a lot of security at the event," said Janubi Devendra, Director of Marketing for the Beltway Plaza Mall and coordinator of the event for the Franklin Park area. "It's good to know the police, fire, businesses and Franklin Park are all working together." Devendra said that each year the event has been improving, gathering more businesses and more residents. "It definitely sends out a very positive message."

On the other side of town, Greenbriar also enjoyed National Night Out. Resident Bunny Fitzgerald said she won a gift certificate to Chevy's but more importantly enjoyed time with her neighbors, as well as the mayor (Emmett Jordan) and Police Chief James Craze.

There were also celebrations in Roosevelt Center, Windsor Green, Hunting Ridge, and Schrom Hills. Holding the event in neighborhoods, instead of one central location, is part of the community-building theme. The many locales, however, make for a busy, night for councilmembers, and other dignitaries who move from party to party around town.

"I made it to all the locations," said councilwoman Silke Pope. "And I talked to many res-

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What Goes On

Friday, August 14

7 p.m., Time Warp by Circus Camp Members, Community Center Saturday, August 15

3 and 7 p.m., Time Warp, Community Center

Sunday, August 16

3 p.m., Time Warp, Community Center

Wednesday, August 19

10 a.m. to noon, Weed Warriors Workdays, Meet at Buddy Attick Park

8 p.m., Council Worksession, Greenbelt Station Park Site Plan, Community Center

Thursday, August 20

7 p.m., Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Community Center (For details see city ad on page 5.)

Friday August 21,

8 p.m., Family Swim Night, Aquatic and Fitness Center **8:30 p.m.**, Moonlit Movies, Schrom Hills Park (For details see city ad on page 5.)

Write for Us

The News Review welcomes and encourages voluntary submittals by residents of articles relating to Greenbelt, such as news events, activities of groups or people or otherwise Greenbelt related and of interest to our readers.

Copy should be submitted either by email sent to editor@green-beltnewsreview.com or brought (preferably on a memory stick) to the News Review offices at the Community Center, Suite 500, 11 Crescent Road. For possible publication in the next issue, copy should be submitted prior to 6 p.m. the Monday immediately preceding. Any copy expressing the opinions of the author will be treated as a letter to the editor and will be subject to review and approval by the editorial board. Copy promoting an event for which a fee is charged will only be used if there is a paid advertisement for the event. The editors reserve the right to accept or reject for publication any copy submitted and to edit any accepted copy.

Omissions

In the Foundation story last week we missed an important ingredient to the success of the evening. Carol Malveaux, vice president of the Foundation, organized the event.

Last week's new classified ads met with disaster as they were in an unexpected file and thus not found as we made up the page. The ads from the previous week were used by mistake. We apologize for the inconvenience to many especially those with yard sales.

Letters to the Editor

Playground Alternatives?

Cathie Meetre's article What Would Eleanor Say If She Could See Us Now in the August 6 issue was very informative. I always love learning more about the history of Greenbelt. In the 40's 70 children and their parents enjoyed the convenience of playgrounds at the 33 Court of Ridge Road. Today a different type of tenant occupies these homes and in many other areas of Greenbelt. Some are young singles while others are retirees who are downsizing. Not many children are in need of the playgrounds. What would Eleanor say - repurpose the playgrounds into something that will bring these individuals outdoors. Some senior exercise equipment, places to gather for talking/checkers/an early evening social, if sunny a community garden/flower patch or just a quiet place to sit and get fresh air. Eleanor would be proud.

Mary Ann Hartnett

Professionals Needed

As Donna Almquist mentions in her ad "Who Will Protect the Greenbelt Forest Preserve?" it is important to adhere to the city's Forest Preserve Guidelines. If there is to be an assessment of the condition and health of the Forest Preserve then it should be done by a professional biologist/ecologist.

Our Forest Preserve (225 acres) was officially set aside by Council in 2003 as a preserve to

protect undisturbed forested lands from development and intrusive human activities.

It is troubling to see that city staff is seriously considering several engineering firms that have a forester or forest management perspective or mindset more suitable for a city park (such as Buddy Attick) to conduct an assessment of the Forest Preserve.

One of the firms being considered displays the slogan "Consulting Engineers" on their letterhead and cover letter, and the first page of their proposal sent to the city states they will provide "...forest stewardship and management strategies."

Another firm being considered by the city had been employed in the past to design and construct several stream and water culvert projects and to administer the use of herbicides and chemical treatment to control invasive plants, by the city and Greenbelt Homes Inc., respectively.

In addition, this firm states on page one of their proposal) that they "will inventory forest stand delineation using Maryland's DNR (Dept. of Natural Resources) protocols established in their 1997 technical manual." Again, this is a forest management or 'forester-for-hire' timber monetary value perspective not suitable for an assessment of our natural undisturbed Forest Preserve.

A senior city staff member stated previously that she favored these firms since they had done work previously for the city. This familiarity seems to be the major reason these firms are being considered, rather than making an effort to seek a qualified professional biologist/ecologist as directed by City Council.

If the city were to employ one of these firms or another of a similar perspective then the city would be violating the purpose and intent of the city's Forest Preserve Guidelines.

Yoni Siegel Bob Snyder

Toastmasters Meet

The Greenbelt Toastmasters Club will meet on Wednesday, August 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Social Hall of Greenbelt Community Church at Hillside and Crescent Roads.

The group offers professionals, students, stay-at-home parents and retirees a supportive environment to improve skills in communication and leadership.



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SHOWTIMES Aug 14-Aug 20

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Sun. 1:00 PM, 5:30 PM, 8:00 PM

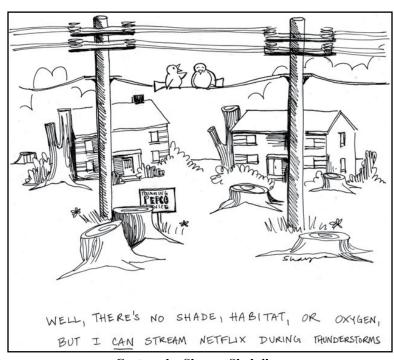
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IRRATIONAL MAN (CC) (R) (96m.)

Fri. 5:30 PM Sat. 1:00 PM Sun. 3:15 PM Mon. & Weds. 8:00 PM Tues. & Thurs. 5:30 PM

MY NEIGHBOR TOTORO (G) (86m.)

Sat. 11 AM



Cartoon by Shayna Skolnik

On Screen

"Enemies" Shares the Screen

Opening on Friday, August 14 to share the screen at Old Greenbelt Theatre (with Woody Allen's Irrational Man) is Best of Enemies. Almost 50 years ago, a pair of sharp-tongued authors and cultural icons — conservative William F. Buckley Jr. and liberal Gore Vidal — faced off in a series of 10 confrontational television debates. Key portions are replayed, including Vidal accusing Buckley of being a "crypto-Nazi" and Buckley shooting back that Vidal, in that mostly closeted era for gays, was a "queer." And now, buttressed by this look back, we're entered in a new election cycle that will test the perquisites of current commentators.

R. Running time: 87 minutes.

-- Eli Flam

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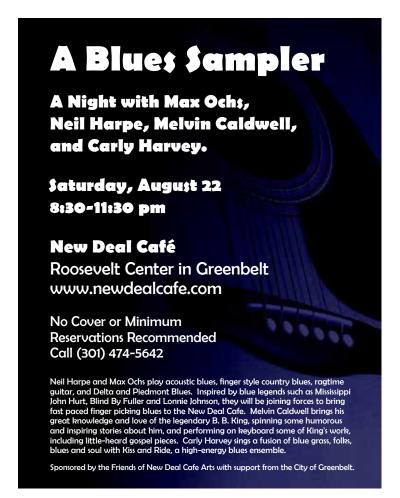
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Community Events

Reel and Meal At The New Deal

On Monday, August 17, Swine Country will be the feature film of the Reel and Meal at the New Deal series, held at the New Deal Café. The free film is directed by local film director and Adelphi Friends Meeting member Tom Clement. It starts at 7 p.m., after an optional vegan buffet served from 6:30 p.m.

Swine Country explores the negative health impacts of commercial hog farming in eastern North Carolina; it was a collaborative project between the Rural Empowerment Association for Community Help and the Cape Fear River Basin Studies Program at Guilford College, Clement's alma mater.

Discussion following the film will focus on what can be done to reduce agricultural pollution. Discussion leaders include Frederick Tutman, well-known grassroots community advocate for a cleaner Patuxent River, Maryland's longest intrastate waterway; Kathy Phillips, Assateague Coastkeeper, who monitors the local coastal watersheds for signs of polluting activities; and film director Tom Clement.

The Reel and Meal series is a collaboration of three Greenbelt groups concerned about social justice, environmental and animal rights issues: Green Vegan Networking, Beaverdam Creek Watershed Watch Group and Prince George's County Peace and Justice Coalition. Peace and Justice planned this month's event; for more about the program, contact justpeacepg@earthlink.net or 301-441-9377.



Calling All Pollinators

Join the Butterfly Brigade in the Labor Day Parade. Help raise awareness about the importance and plight of pollinators. All welcome: bees, butterflies, bats, etc. Make your own costume or let us know if you will need wings - we will have a limited supply. Contact Susan Barnett at susnbarn@earthlink.net.

Kids' Open Mic At New Deal Café

There will be a Kids' Open Mic at the New Deal Café this Sunday, August 16 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. The Open Mic takes place on the 3rd Sunday of every month. Those aged 17 and under are invited to play a musical instrument, sing, dance, juggle, recite a poem or otherwise perform.

Performers should RSVP to Rebecca Holober at bbholober@ comcast.net at least two days before the date of appearance; they may include a brief bio that will be read as the performer is introduced (where performer is from, title of songs presented, musical influences, fun facts, etc.).

Menu for Senior **Nutrition Program**

The Senior Nutrition Food and Friendship program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals must be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for the week of August 17 are as follows:

Monday, August 17: Grape juice, meatloaf with gravy, blackeyed peas, stewed tomatoes and okra, cornbread, tropical fruit.

Tuesday, August 18: Apple juice, stuffed peppers with meat sauce, corn O'Brien, wheat bread, hot spiced apples.

Wednesday, August 19: Cranberry juice, beef barley soup with crackers, seafood salad, Kaiser roll, mixed green salad with French dressing, fresh fruit.

Thursday, August 20: ALL SITES CLOSED.

Friday, August 21: Pineapple juice, potato-crusted fish, mashed spiced yams, green peas, wheat bread, tartar sauce, fresh fruit.



Utopia Film Festival Presents Sunday, August 16th & Wednesday, August 19th Beginning at 8 PM

"American Colonies: Collapse of the Bee" and "Autism: Made in the USA"

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GATe Board of Directors' Meeting Tuesday, August 18th beginning at 7:30 PM

For more information, visit the GATe website or e-mail greenbeltaccess@gmail.com

See what's showing on Comcast 77 and Verizon FiOS 19 by visiting www.greenbeltaccesstv.org and click on "Channel"

Writers Group Meets

The Greenbelt Writers Group meets Friday evening, August 21 at the Community Center, starting at 7:30 p.m. Writers of all genres are invited in participate. The group meets the third Friday of each month. Open readings are held; members may read from their completed works or works in progress. For more information contact Mary Moien at mmoien@aol.com.

Walk with Ease

The City of Greenbelt Recreation and Public Works Departments are offering their third Walk with Ease class beginning Tuesday, August 18 at the Community Center.

The Arthritis Foundation's Walk with Ease Program is an exercise program that can reduce pain and improve overall health. The program will help participants to motivate themselves to get in great shape; walk safely and comfortably; improve flexibility, strength and stamina; and reduce pain and feel great.

This class will meet three times per week from 3 to 4 p.m. in room 202 at the Community Center. The upcoming session begins on August 18 and ends on September 25. Registration is required. The Walk with Ease book, workbook and backpack, as well as other incentives, are all part of the program.

Call 301-397-2208 for more information and to register.

More Community Events are located throughout the paper.

Golden Age Club

by Bunny Fitzgerald The Golden Age Club always welcomes visitors. Come to the Community Center on Wednesdays at 11 a.m. and meet with us.

The Golden Age Club has a busy month planned for August.

On August 19 we will have a pizza party for the members. This will be sponsored by Mary and Barry Moien in celebration of their 50th anniversary. Congratulations to them! Members may bring desserts and other goodies. On the last meeting of the month we will play bingo. Come join the fun.

We are in the dog days of summer, so try to keep cool and drink lots of water.

Used Books Wanted

Throughout August, the Greenbelt Elementary School PTA will be collecting used books, cassette tapes, VHS tapes, DVDs and CDs to sell at the Labor Day Festival. No textbooks or reference books will be accepted. Donations may be dropped off either at the Co-op Supermarket or the Greenbriar community building no later than Wednesday, September 2. For large donations, call 956-639-6434 and leave a message. Details are available at http://bit.ly/1BcbF4k.

To Mark Storm Drains

Help Girl Scout Troop 2065 stencil storm drains in Windsor Green on Saturday, August 15 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Meet at the Windsor Green Community Center, 7474 Frankfort Drive. For more information, contact Anitra at 301-213-3973 or anitrabyers@aol.com.

Volunteers Needed



Everyone Loves a Parade! And now you can be in one!

To participate in the Greenbelt Labor Day Parade, go to the website http://greenbeltlaborday.com/get-involved/parade-participants/, download a parade application form, fill it out and submit it to GreenbeltLaborDayParade@ verizon.net no later than August 28, 2015. See the above website link for more information on the parade.

Greenbelt Arts Center COMING SOON

The Life and Death of King John



by William Shakespeare Directed by Alan Duda A Guest Production from The Rude Mechanicals August 21 – September 5 Friday and Saturday at 8:00 Sunday, August 23 & 30 at 2:00 Ticket prices: \$20 General Admission, \$16 Students/Seniors/Military, \$12 Youth (12 and under with adult)

COMING SOON

Forsaken Angels - Sept 18 - 27 - Guest Production from Wolf Pack Theatre Company

For information & reservations, call 301-441-8770 or email: info@greenbeltartscenter.org_or BOOK TICKETS ONLINE at www.greenbeltartscenter.org

No Donations

American Rescue Workers will not receive donations on the second and fourth Saturdays of the month for the time being due to a shortage

Join the Cajun Jam At New Deal Café

On Wednesday, August 26, a free Cajun Jam will be held at the New Deal Café from 7 to 9:30 p.m. for dancers, musicians and listeners. Socializing will begin at 6 p.m. Beginners are welcome. For more information visit newdealcafe.com.

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Most features are \$5.50 all day on Tuesdays; add \$2.00 for 3-D

Week of August 14

<u>FRIDAY – SATURDAY</u> Straight Outta Compton, R (!)

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THURSDAY Hitman 47, R (!)

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Obituaries

Mary Madden Doman

Mary Madden Doman, 77, died peacefully with family at her side on August 3, 2015, in Grapevine, Texas. Mary Madden was born February



10, 1938, in Washington, D.C. Shortly thereafter, she moved to Greenbelt with her parents, thus becoming one of Greenbelt's Pioneer children. She loved growing up in Greenbelt and was one of the early employees of the Mc-Carl Dental practice. She graduated from St. Patrick's Academy and attended George Washington University while working at the Treasury Department.

While there, she met Michael Doman. They were married and lived in various locations around the country, finally settling in Dallas where they shared a wonderful life together with their four children.

After working at St. Patrick's Parish in Dallas for many years, she owned and operated Mary's Mail Center in Dallas for 10 years. She enjoyed being an active member of her community and her church and was kind to everyone she met and she was known to help those in need. She was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend. Nothing brought Mrs. Doman greater joy and pride than her children; she loved raising them and her home was always open to their friends. She cherished her grandchildren and enjoyed being with them and getting their phone calls and visits.

Recently, Mrs. Doman moved back to Greenbelt to be near her brothers and sisters and after a short time, shared her Greenbelt home with her sister Kathleen. She and her siblings had wonderful times together and Mrs. Doman enjoyed shopping at Co-op, getting her hair done at Maria's, eating at Joe's and Bejing and counted on the guys at Sunoco to take care of her car, which they did, at times walking to her house to jump start it. After a few years, she returned to the Dallas area to be near her children.

Mrs. Doman was preceded in death by her husband Michael and her parents, Greenbelt pioneers Anthony and Catherine Madden. She is survived by her children, Mark (Alice) Doman, Jeffrey Doman, Diane (Steve) Dalri, all of the Dallas area, and Michael (Amy) Doman of Carmel, Ind. and nine grandchildren, Meghan and Sarah Doman, Joaquin Doman, Brooke and Paige Dalri, and Katy Beth, Michael, Jeffrey and Nicholas Doman. She is also survived by her sisters, Kathleen Dunleavy, Therese Stringfellow, Patty Molden; and brothers Marty Madden and Michael Madden and numerous nieces and nephews.

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will have to maintain it because the road's users will be city residents and because nobody else will have maintenance equipment nearby. To assume this responsibility, city staff recommends that the city enter into a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with all the concerned parties.

As construction is new, the most immediate maintenance need is snow plowing. Since the city will have to run its plow trucks over this roadway in order to turn around, it is only a matter of keeping the plows dropped when they pass over this section. At the worksession City Manager Michael McLaughlin told council that it would probably be 10 to 15 years before the road would require more costly maintenance.

Recommendations

In making its recommendations, city staff believed that the 120 feet was a road that no one had assumed responsibility for, but Justin Frye, a construction manager for the developers, Woodlawn Development LLC, told council it was his understanding from county staff that this was a county road, but that the county wanted Greenbelt to maintain it.

Director of Planning and Community Development Celia Craze said this was new information to her and she would have to check

Most councilmembers, although reluctantly, agreed that the city would have to assume maintenance because the road served Greenbelt residents. Councilmember Judith Davis reflected that point of view, noting that it would be a low level priority for Berwyn Heights to maintain it. "You can stand on principal," she said, "but the best thing for our residents is for the city to maintain it."

Councilmember Rodney Roberts, however, took exception. He disagreed with those who felt that Berwyn Heights would never remove the road from its boundaries and that the city could accept it. Roberts thought the obligation to maintain it would be sufficient for the town to rid itself of it. He objected to the city maintaining another jurisdiction's road.

Councilmember Edward Putens was concerned about who would maintain the brick entrance walls and the stairway from Greenbelt Station Parkway to Branchville Road. He also felt there was a need for a sidewalk along Branchville Road from the stairway to Greenbelt Road. He was told that one had been built alongside the South Core property, but that none existed adjacent to any other property.

Payments Sufficient

Frye said that the homeowners agreement, which was being prepared, would provide sufficient payments from each property to assure adequate reserves to undertake major repairs when the time comes. These reserves would also cover maintenance needs for the private streets and other common property of the development. He noted that some developers will sell their homes with very low homeowner association dues in order to make easy sales, not

worrying that there would be insufficient reserves when needed. Frve said that would not be the

Norman Rivera, legal counsel for the developers, urged a speedy resolution to the problem as the road and bridge have been built for many years but the construction bonds required by the county, worth millions of dollars, were being held up pending resolution of the issue of maintenance.

Staff is to clarify the county's role in this matter and may return with a MOU.

Greenbelt Time Bank Orientation Meeting

Join a growing community of Greenbelters who are exchanging goods and services using hours instead of dollars. Earn hours by providing services to others and spend the hours to receive services in return. Use your time and talents to help your neighbors, get your own needs met and build a stronger community.

The Greenbelt Time Bank will hold an orientation meeting on Sunday, August 16 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Greenbelt Maker-Space, 125 Centerway.

More information can be obtained by calling 240-473-3497.



Blue Water Boot Camp For Service Members

A free seminar, Introduction to HTML and CSS: Basic Coding Language to Establish a Website, will be held in Greenbelt on Wednesday, August 19 from 6 to 8 p.m. The seminar is part of the Blue Water's BOOTCAMP seminar series for service members, veterans, wounded warriors, military spouses and military retirees. Additional information about the seminar and the registration links are available on the Blue Water website at bwm.com/ bootcamp. The first seminar in the series was on cybersecurity and will air on DCTV in the next few weeks.

Kids' School Supplies Sought for SHL School

The Greenbelt Federal Credit Union is collecting school supplies for Kids in Need at Springhill Lake Elementary School. A list of needed items is available online at pgcps.org/springhilllake/ as well as at the Credit Union and the Co-op Supermarket, both of which have drop boxes for donations. Cash donations can be made at the Credit Union; checks can be made payable to Springhill Lake Elementary School



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Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Tappe

Greenbelt Community Church



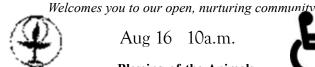
1 Hillside (at Crescent Road) Phone: 301-474-6171 mornings www.greenbeltcommunitychurch.org

> Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.

Rev. Glennyce Grindstaff, Pastor

Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church

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Aug 16 10a.m.

Blessing of the Animals Jonathan Mawdsley, Worship Associate Well-behaved animal companions are welcome, as are photo-

graphs of animals that are special to you. Sharing our experiences with wild animals, working animals, and animal companions, and a short homily on "St. Francis for UUs."

This is an All Ages Celebration; children and youth are invited to remain in the Meetinghouse for the entire service. Nursery Care for the youngest is provided in Room 5.

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We were sorry to hear of the death of Mary Madden Doman, 77, on August 3, 2015 in Grapevine, Texas. Mary was the eldest of the children of pioneer Greenbelters Anthony and Kitty Madden. Sympathy to her Greenbelt siblings Theresa Stringfellow, Michael Madden and Patty Madden Molden and other family and friends.

Hats off to all the participants and organizers of the National Night Out activities last Tuesday.

There is a new baby at the Baker house on Lakeside Drive. Kateri and Matthew Baker are the proud parents of Adelaide Frances, who was born July 31, and joins big sister Hannah, 4 years old, and 2-year-old Levi. Ade's grandparents are Janet and Dan Baker of Ridge Road and Rena and Larry Hull of Lakeside.

We'd like to honor more of our Greenbelt graduates! Leave a message at 301-474-6892 to have the announcement published next week.

To send information for Our Neighbors, email us at editor@greenbeltnewsreview.com or leave a message at 301-474-6892

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CITY ELECTION INFORMATION VOTER REGISTRATION

To vote in the City Council election on November 3, 2015, you must be a qualified Greenbelt voter by October 5.

For information about registering to vote in Prince George's County, contact the County Board of Elections at 301-430-8020 or visit www.elections.state. md.us. Forms for voter registration and address/name change are available at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, and the Greenbelt Library, 11 Crescent Road. Forms are also available on the city website, www.greenbeltmd.gov.

All forms must be received by the County Board of Elections, 1100 Mercantile Lane – Suite 115A, Largo, MD no later than 4:30 p.m., Monday, October 5.

For additional information, contact Cindy Murray, City Clerk at 301-474-8000 or cmurray@greenbeltmd.gov.

If you are already registered to vote in Prince George's County but have moved or changed your name since the last election, you must complete an application to have this information changed.

PEPCO tree trimming/removal plans are now posted on the city's website at www.greenbeltmd.gov/public_works

They are also on display at the Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Road.

There has been one Council work session on these plans on July 22, 2015. It is likely another will be scheduled in late August or early September

Family Night at Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center, 101 Centerway Friday, August 21 from 8-10pm

Admittance to the pool will be \$3.00 for all families, including passholders. Bring your pool toys and the whole family for an evening of fun!

Family Swim Night is designed to give families an opportunity to spend an evening together in a recreational atmosphere. Entering family must have at least one adult. Families will be charged \$1.00 for each additional non-family member, with a limit of three non-family members per group. In case of inclement weather, the event will be moved to the Indoor Pool.

GAFC: 301-397-2204



Greenbelt Animal Shelter 550-A Crescent Road 301-474-6124

Open Wednesdays 4-7pm and Saturdays 9am-12pm

Bailey is an energetic girl who is not a fan of other dogs. She's lived with cats and loves to play with people. She's about 3-4 yrs old. Visit Bailey and all our available pets just waiting to be your friend!

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See pets at www.greenbeltmd.gov/animalshelter

VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups. There are currently vacancies on: Arts Advisory Board, Park and Recreation Advisory Board, and Youth Advisory Committee

For information call 301-474-8000.

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MEETINGS FOR WEEK OF AUGUST 17-21

Wednesday, August 19 at 8:00pm, COUNCIL WORK SESSION-Greenbelt Station Park Site Plan at Community Center, 15 Crescent Road.

Thursday, August 20 at 7:00pm FOREST PRESERVE AD-VISORY BOARD, at Community Center, 15 Crescent Rd. rm. 103. On the agenda: Discussion of Pumpkin Walk Permit 2015 with Melissa Ehrenreich, Discussion with Jessica Bellah – Trail Erosion in Area A, Discussion of FPAB Vision, Mission, Goals.

The schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000.

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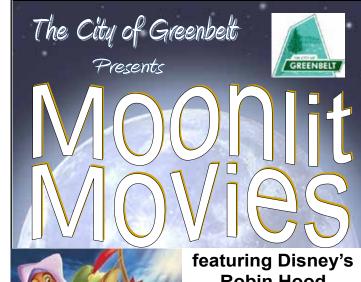
PERFORMANCES:

Friday, August 14 at 7:00 pm Saturday, August 15 at 3:00 pm and 7:00 pm Sunday, August 16 at 3:00 pm All shows in the Greenbelt Community Center Gymnasium-15 Crescent Road

TICKETS: \$5

Buy tickets by phone at 301-397-2208 or at the Community Center office.

Tickets on sale now! Get tickets early -- the shows sell out!





Robin Hood Friday, August 21

8:30 pm Schrom Hills Park 6915 Hanover Parkway

Back by popular demand!
Grab a blanket, a lawn
chair, family friends, neighbors or co-workers and enjoy FREE outdoor movies.
In case of rain the movie
will be shown on Saturday,
August 22 at same time

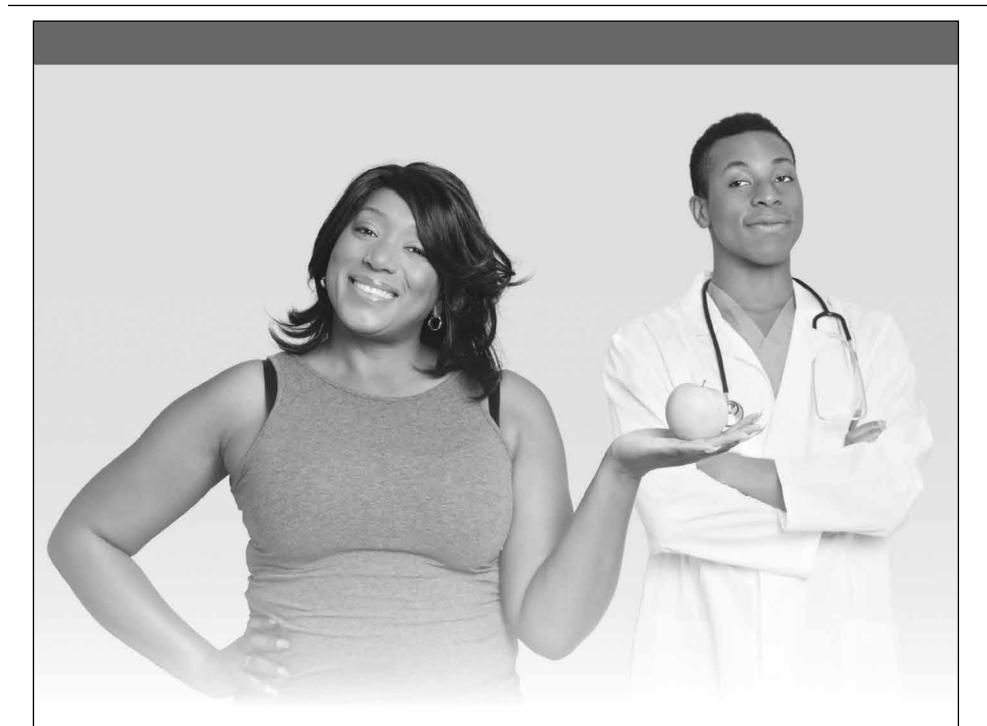
and location. Supported by the Old Greenbelt Theatre and the City of Greenbelt

Forest Stewardship Project Weed Warriors Workday

Wednesday, August 19-10am-12pm Buddy Attick Park

Volunteer to identify and remove invasive plant species from Buddy Attick Park on Wednesdays in August! No experience is required, just a willingness and desire to work outdoors. Reminders:
-Wear long pants and closed-toe shoes. -Bring a refillable water bottle. -Meet at the bottom of the hill in front of Greenbelt Lake. -The volunteer event will be cancelled in the event of inclement weather. High school students: Bring your community service forms for service learning hours.

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terials will be added later to the Prince George's County compost pilot program. Ultimately, less methane gas will be emitted from a landfill, and high quality compost will be produced for use by gardeners and others.

To Volunteer

Those interested in serving as a zero waste volunteer are encouraged to attend a training session on August 20 or September 1 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Public Works facility. Students or other volunteers can receive community service hours and/or a recommendation as appropri-Volunteers will learn how to teach others which items are accepted as recyclables and how to entertain Festival goers while educating. Participants are asked to bring their own water bottles. Pizza will be provided by Generous Joe's.

Anyone who would like to learn more about serving as a zero waste volunteer should contact Luisa Robles, Greenbelt's sustainability coordinator, at lrobles@greenbeltmd.gov or John and Jane, GreenACES, at jrmlippert@aol.com or 301-507-6765.

Recycling Tips

If one's waste is recyclable and most will be-discard it into a recycling bin, not the trash can. This year, food vendors will provide mostly recyclable dinnerware. Look for the chart on the recycling bins showing the items to recycle (in green) and the few that can't be (in red). Also, put only recyclables in the recycling bins.

Think taxes should be used for something other than trash? The less money spent on trash collection, the more the city can use those savings for other programs and activities. Greenbelt is charged \$56 per ton brought to landfill but actually gets money back from recyclables.

Greenbelt is a leader in sustainability. One great way to educate friends and neighbors and to encourage the practice of recycling is to raise awareness during the Labor Day Festival.

The Labor Day Zero Waste effort is a project of the Zero Waste Circle comprised of members of the Green Team and affinity groups with support from the Greenbelt Department of Public Works and the Chesapeake Education Arts and Research Society (CHEARS).

Susan Barnett and Jane Young contributed to this article.



Wristband Vouchers

Wristband vouchers are on sale at the Greenbelt Co-op Grocery Supermarket for the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival. They are good for all rides on either Saturday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. or Sunday noon to 4 p.m. of the Festival Weekend. This is a presale and good till all vouchers are sold or Friday, September 4 before noon, whichever comes first. (See ad for more information.)

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Labor Day Photo Show

Share your photographic perspective at the Labor Day Photo Show.

The Labor Day Photo Show displays photos taken by Greenbelt residents. The show will be held in the Community Center and open for viewing on Saturday through Monday of Labor Day weekend.

There are 16 categories including Those Who Protect and Serve Us, Greener Living in Greenbelt and Pets. It's free to enter but because space is limited, no more than two photos per photographer can be submitted and frames must have outside dimensions of 16 x 20 inches or smaller.

Photos and registration forms should be submitted to the Photo Show volunteers on Thursday and Friday before the Festival. One may download the forms from greenbeltlaborday.com.

Retro Town Fair Returns to Festival

The Retro Town Fair will return to the Labor Day Festival this year on Sunday, September 6. The location has changed due to the expanding craft fair and will be on the grassy area behind the Mother and Child statue. The categories are the same as in years past, with the exception of one addition: an Open Craft Class (examples: jewelry, woodworking, dollmaking).

This will be the 4th Annual Retro Town Fair. Look for entry forms on the Greenbelt Museum website, on greenbeltlaborday. com, in the News Review and at the Greenbelt Co-op.

MakerSpace For Labor Day

Volunteers are gathering at the Greenbelt MakerSpace continuously through the end of the month to work on this year's activities for the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival and our epic entry in the annual parade. While it may seem impossible to top last year's award-winning "Turtles in Spaaace" bicycle powered float, the team is hard at work to do just that. Engineers and artists of all types and all ages are invited to join in on the fun. Stop by the MakerSpace and grab a tool, from hammer to brush, to help us convert our everyday utility carts into a float that represents the mission and vision of the MakerSpace.

Another conversion project is in the works, though as a much more serious venture. While we

are quite happy with our location on the Roosevelt Center plaza, adjacent to many good friends and home to some fine programs, we would like to reach more people in our Greenbelt neighborhoods and surrounding communities. To do so we have a plan to convert a small van into a mobile MakerSpace vehicle. This will allow us to visit more community centers, churches and schools to reach more families and kids looking for hands-on activities to experience and learn science, technology, arts and crafts. To join our team in planning and supporting a crowd funding campaign, please visit our website, make125.org, or stop by the MakerSpace at 125 Centerway.

- George Boyce

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Kellogg's \$250 Mini Wheats or Raisin Bran 13-18 oz.	Barilla Assorted \$ 125 Spaghetti or Macaroni 12-16 oz.		Progresso Select Varieties Rich + Hearty SOUDS 18-19-07	Green Mountain \$ 522 K-Cups Coffee Assorted 12 pks.

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Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about

Theft

July 28, 6:58 p.m., 100 block Centerway. A wallet was taken from a locker at the Aquatic and Fitness Center.

July 29, 12:19 p.m., 7900 block Vanity Fair Drive. A parcel package was taken from the front stoop of a residence.

August 3, 4:30 p.m., 6400 block Ivy Lane. Prescription medicine was taken from a room at the Marriott Hotel.

August 4, 3:20 p.m., 6100 block Greenbelt Road. An unattended cell phone was taken at Target.

Burglary

August 1, 8:47 p.m., 9100 block Edmonston Terrace. A residence was entered by forcing open the front door. Nothing appeared to have been taken.

August 2, 10:45 p.m., 6000 block Greenbelt Road. A man jumped over the counter at the Gourmet Popcorn kiosk, broke into a cabinet and took money.

August 3, 10 a.m., 6000 block Greenbelt Road. An unknown person jumped over the counter at the Dippin' Dots kiosk, broke into a cabinet and took money.

Vandalism

July 30, 5:40 p.m., 8000 block

Call 1-866-411-TIPS.

Lakecrest Drive. Glass on a sliding glass door was cracked.

August 3, 7:04 p.m., Frankfort Drive near Frankfort Court. Graffiti was spray painted on playground equipment.

Vehicle Crime

Two vehicles were stolen. A white 4-door 2007 Lexus ES350 with Md. tags 7267CE was taken from the 7900 block Mandan Road, and a silver 4-door 2014 Chevrolet Impala with S. Car. tags KEF397 was taken from the 9000 block Breezewood Terrace.

A 2011 Nissan Altima reported stolen by Baltimore City police was recovered in the 5700 block Greenbelt Metro Drive.

Two thefts from possibly unsecured vehicles were reported in the 9000 block Breezewood Terrace (binoculars, sunglasses and backpack) and 6500 block Lake Park Drive (change).

In the 9100 block Edmonston Road a notebook-type computer, shoes and clothing were taken.

Vandalism was reported in the 7300 block Mandan Road, where the windshield and side window were broken by a person known to the car owner. An investigation is ongoing.

New Deal Café to Host Upcoming Events **Special Blues Concert**

Saturday night, August 22, brings a special blues concert to the New Deal Café in Roosevelt Center: A Blues Sampler - A Night With Max Ochs, Neil Harpe, Melvin Caldwell and Carly Harvey, at 8:30 to 11:30 p.m.

Harpe and Ochs play acoustic blues, finger-style country blues, ragtime guitar and Delta and Piedmont blues. Inspired by blues legends such as Mississippi John Hurt, Blind Boy Fuller and Lonnie Johnson, they will join forces to bring fast-paced fingerpicking blues to the New Deal

In anticipation of the upcoming annual Blues Festival on September 19, which will be dedicated to the memory of B. B. King, Caldwell will bring his great knowledge and love of the legendary King, spinning some humorous and inspiring stories about him. He will also perform some of King's work, including little-heard gospel pieces, on

Harvey sings a fusion of bluegrass, folk, blues and soul, and will perform as part of Kiss and Ride, a high-energy blues ensemble.

This free concert is sponsored by the Friends of New Deal Café Arts with support from the City of Greenbelt. There is no cover charge, but reservations are suggested. For more information, go to newdealcafe.com.

At The New Deal

Thursday, August 13, Mid-Day Melodies with Amy C. Kraft from 12 to 2 p,m. Open Mic hosted by James and Martha from 7 to 10 p.m.

Friday, August 14, John Guernsey plays classic American Standards on piano from 7 to 8 p.m. followed by the WAMMIE winning R&B soul band Daryl Jr. Cline Band from 8:30 to 11:30

Saturday, August 15, Bruce Kritt plays classical guitar from 4 to 6 p.m. John Guernsey plays blues piano from 7 to 8 p.m., Megan Jean and the KFB take the stage from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m.

Sunday, August 16, please join the Deaf Brunch from 10 a.m. till noon. Kids Open Mic from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Fez Tones Hafla perform Middle Eastern music and belly dance from 6 to

Monday, August 17, Reel and Meal at the New Deal from 7 to 9 p.m.

Tuesday, August 18, our monthly Poetry Night Open Mic from 7 to 9 p.m.

Wednesday, August 19, singer/ songwriter Tom Gleason performs sensitive and soulful original music as well as an eclectic set of covers from 7 to 9 p.m.

Drop Us a Line!

Electronically, that is. editor@greenbelt

Greenbelt Park Needs Trail Crew Volunteers

Come to Greenbelt Park and join the Volunteer Trail Crew on Saturday, August 15 from 8:45 a.m. to noon. The crew will be working on a project to improve the trails in Greenbelt Park.

We will be meeting at the Greenbelt Park Ranger Station near the campground. Student service hours can be earned with this project.

Greenbelt Park's entrance is located at 6565 Greenbelt Road between the Baltimore Washington Parkway and Kenilworth Avenue

For more information and to sign up, call 301-344-3944 or visit the park's web site at nps. gov/gree/.

At the Library

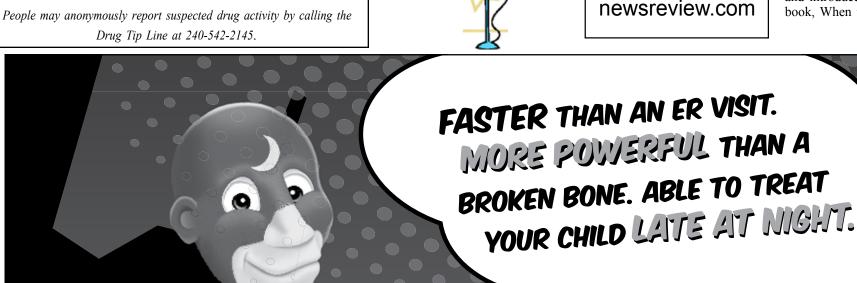
Weekly Storytimes

Wednesday, August 19: Preschool Storytime, 10:15 and 11:15 a.m., for ages 3 to 5, limit 20 people.

Thursday, August 20: Baby Storytime, 10:15 a.m., for ages 12-24 months, limit 20 people; Baby Laptime Storytime, 11:15 a.m., for ages birth-12 months, limit 20 people; Toddler Storytime, 4:15 p.m., for ages 2-3, limit 20 people.

Meet Author Nadia Hashimi

Tuesday, August 18, 7 p.m. Meet Nadia Hashimi, author of The Pearl That Broke Its Shell, an International Bestseller and Goodreads Best Book of 2014 Finalist: Fiction and Debut Author. She will discuss her first novel and introduce patrons to her new book, When the Moon Is Low.



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At the Library

Read to Rover returns on Saturday, August 15, at 2 p.m.

Jeopardy Party Monday, August 17, 2 p.m.,

for Teens (ages 13-18). Crush your opponents with your knowledge of facts, music, movies and more during an exciting online game of Jeopardy. There will be prizes for winners and delicious snacks for all participants.

Knitting and Crochet

Monday, August 17, 6:30 p.m. Join us for an evening of knitting and crocheting! If possible, please bring your own materials due to limited supplies. No experience required.

Home School Parents Meet and Greet

Monday, August 17, 7 p.m. (Rescheduled from July 20.) If vou are a home school parent or are considering becoming one, please join us for this informal one hour event featuring a brief talk from a librarian about useful library resources. Come to share your home school experiences, get connected with other home school parents, or learn how to get started. A small play area will be available for young children. For more information, contact Michelle at the Greenbelt Branch Library, 301-345-5800.

Adult Book Discussion

Tuesday, August 18, 7 p.m. Join the library's Adult Book Discussion on this National Book Critics Circle Award winning and 2013 The New York Times Book Review Best 10 book, Five Days at Memorial, by Sheri Fink.



Movies @ Your Library

Wednesday, August 19, 4 p.m., for all ages. Enjoy an informal screening of select movies available to library patrons from the Hoopla digital service. (Movie titles may not be publicized due to Public Performance Site License restrictions.) Contact the Information Desk at 301-345-5800 for additional details.



PRELIMINARY AGENDA

GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING

Thursday, August 20, 2015 GHI ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 7:30 PM

GHI Key Agenda Items:

- Exception Request to Allow Installation of a Vinyl Privacy Screen at 19N Ridge Road
- Exception Request to Allow the Removal of Three Pine Trees at 8F Plateau Place
- Maintenance Agreement for Trimming & Mowing City of Greenbelt Playgrounds

At 8:00 PM, after the brief Board meeting, the Finance Committee and Board will meet together for a joint work session on the 2016 Budget. Members are welcome to attend.

Regular Board meetings are open to Members. For more information, visit our website: www.ghi.coop



To request a sign language interpreter for this meeting, go to http://www.ghi.coop/content/interpreter-request-form, or go to the GHI Office (One Hamilton Place) or contact us by phone (301-474-4161) or fax (301-474-4006).





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Who Will Protect the Greenbelt Forest Preserve?

The council should stop the city from contracting with a Forest Conservation Act (FCA) Service Provider to assess the health of the Forest Preserve. The city intends to include language in the contract asking the FCA Service Provider to recommend changes to the city code and to the Forest Preserve Management and Maintenance Guidelines (Guidelines) which together have protected the Forest Preserve for the past twelve years.

In October 2003 the council passed legislation creating the Forest Preserve which consists of over 200 acres of forested areas in Greenbelt managed as protected, undeveloped, and undisturbed areas for the benefit of current and future generations. The council, at the time, determined the residents should be stewards to protect the natural qualities of these areas and appointed a task force to write the Forest Preserve Guidelines. The Guidelines include a provision for a forest biologist/ecologist to provide a health assessment if such an assessment were deemed necessary. They did not require a health assessment be done.

On November 24, 2014, council passed three important motions. (1) According to draft minutes, Rodney Roberts moved that council proceed on contracting with a professional forest biologist/ecologist to assess the health of the Forest Preserve. Mayor Jordan responded by encouraging staff to seek a professional forest biologist/ecologist. (2) According to the minutes, Judith Davis moved that council direct the Forest Preserve Advisory Board to review the Forest Preserve Guidelines and prepare a list of recommended changes to council. (3) Judith Davis also moved that council direct city staff to review the Forest Preserve chapter of the city code and update it as needed and that proposed changes be referred to the Advisory Board

A Request for Proposal (RFP) was written by the city. According to Celia Craze, the city sent over 120 solicitations for proposals. These primarily went to firms identified as Forest Conservation Act (FCA) Service Providers listed on the Maryland Department of Natural Resources (DNR) web site. Only five solicitations went to individuals or firms suggested by Advisory Board members. According to Celia Craze, only five proposals were received by the city. All of the proposals are from FCA Service Providers.

FCA Service Providers are entities approved by the Maryland Department of Natural Resources to assist developers in creating the Forest Conservation Plan that is required for certain planned developments in Maryland. The list includes foresters, landscape architects, and others. The mindset is controlled development rather than preservation and ecology.

According to Dr. Marc Lapin, ecologist and environmental studies professor at Middlebury College, a forest biologist/ecologist (as required by the Forest Preserve Guidelines) is a better choice than a forester to do the assessment (if one is done at all). A forest biologist/ecologist has a broad perspective of the relationships between plants, animals, soils, water and rocks. In contrast, a forester's perspective puts more emphasis on 'managing' the forest for use and economic gain.

A contract with a FCA Service Provider will be inconsistent with Robert's motion (approved 7-0), Mayor Jordan's encouragement, and the Forest Preserve Guidelines.

Please contact the members of council and the city clerk to let them know that you want the process to award a contract stopped and to leave alone the documents that protect the forest preserve. The contact information is:

Judith Davis: Phone: 301-474-8000 Email:jdavis@greenbeltmd.gov Emmett Jordan: Phone: 301-474-8000 Email: ejordan@greenbeltmd.gov Konrad Herling: Phone: 301-474-8000 Email: kherling@greenbeltmd.gov

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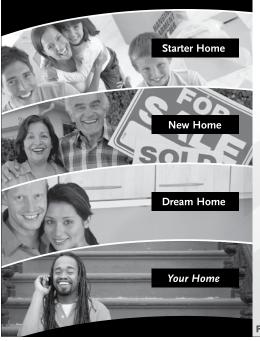
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idents and enjoyed a lot of great food. I always look forward to NNO. My granddaughter Sofia always has a blast too."

Despite the rain, Pope said, the event and the high levels of participation are really important to Greenbelt. "It shows our community spirit."

To see more pictures of the events, visit the facebook pages of The City of Greenbelt and Beltway Plaza Mall.

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Schrom Hills NNO festivities included County Councilmember Todd Turner. (far right).



Bunny Fitzgerald (right) greets her neighbors at Greenbriar NNO.



Despite the rain, a crowd showed up at the Franklin Park / Beltway Plaza National Night Out celebration.

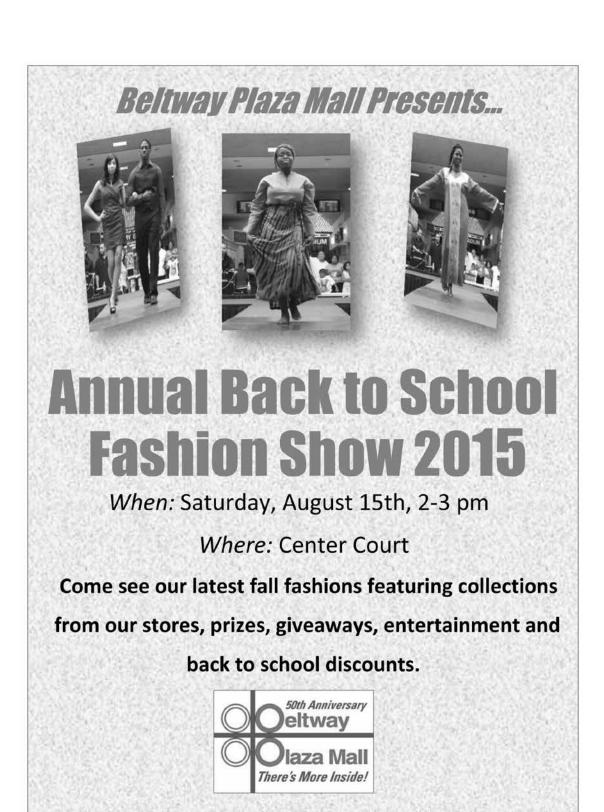


Councilwoman Silke Pope stands with daughter Melanie and granddaughter Sofia.





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